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Attorney Docket No.: 3521.160

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of )  
BORISLAV ZLATANOV ) Group Art Unit: 2851  
Serial No.: 09/923,755 ) Examiner:  
Filed: August 6, 2001 )

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MASKING A WORKPIECE WITH INK

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE**

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Allston L. Jones, Attorney of Record

Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL AND RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S ACTION**

In response to the Office Action dated January 28, 2004, there is enclosed herewith:

1. Transmittal, in duplicate;
2. Response to Examiner's Action and Amendment A;
3. Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (3 months);
4. Copy of Wikipedia Dictionary for definition of "MYLAR"
5. Three sheets of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-3);
6. Check in the amount of \$475, for Three Month Time Extension; and
7. Postcard.

Applicant now claims Small Entity Status.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or to credit any fee deficiency to **Deposit Account No. 16-1331.**

Favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,  
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